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P21815TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR
1.5)

09/926762

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.

INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE

PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED

PCT/JP01/03115

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21 April 2000

TITLE OF INVENTION

TRICK PLAY METHOD FOR DIGITAL STORAGE MEDIUM

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US

Takanori SENOH

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information.


1. ☒ This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☐ This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☒ This is an express request to promptly begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)).
4. ☐ The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (PCT Article 31).
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. ☐ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☒ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. ☒ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).
7. ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. ☐ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 1 to 16 below concern other document(s) or information included:

1. Assignee: MATSUSHITA ELECTRIC INDUSTRIAL CO., LTD. of Osaka, JAPAN
2. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
3. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
4. ☐ A FIRST preliminary amendment.
☐ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
5. ☐ A substitute specification.
5. ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
7. ☒ Figure of Drawing to be published 2
3. ☒ Other items or information:
Cover Letter Filed Under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 C.F.R. 1.494
PCT/RO/101 PCT Request (in Japanese)
International Application as Published (Cover Sheet)
PCT/IB/304
PCT/IB/308
PCT/IB/301
PCT/ISA/210 (English and Japanese)
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19. ☒ The following fees are submitted:

<p>Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)):</p> <p>Search report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO. \$ 890.00</p> <p>International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) \$ 710.00</p> <p>No international preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) but international search fee paid to USPTO(37 CFR 1.445(a)(2). \$ 740.00</p> <p>Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2) paid to USPTO \$1,040.00</p> <p>International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(2)-(4). \$ 100.00</p> <p style="text-align: right;">ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =</p>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <th style="width: 50%;">CALCULATIONS</th> <th style="width: 50%;">PTO USE ONLY</th> </tr> <tr> <td style="height: 100px; vertical-align: top;"> <p>\$890.00</p> <p>\$ 0.00</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <th style="width: 20%;">Claims</th> <th style="width: 20%;">Number Filed</th> <th style="width: 20%;">Number Extra</th> <th style="width: 20%;">RATE</th> <th style="width: 20%;">\$</th> <th style="width: 20%;"></th> </tr> <tr> <td>Total Claims</td> <td>13 - 20 =</td> <td>0</td> <td>X \$18.00</td> <td>\$ 0.00</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Independent Claims</td> <td>9 - 3 =</td> <td>6</td> <td>X \$84.00</td> <td>\$504.00</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3">Multiple dependent claim(s) (if applicable)</td> <td>+ \$280.00</td> <td>\$ 0.00</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="4" style="text-align: right;">TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</td> <td>\$1,394.00</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="4">Applicant claims small entity status. 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